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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

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	1.	Patent No. 6,103,393	8/15/00	Kodas et al.	428	570	

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	2.	U.S. Patent Application No. 09/028,751 by Hampden-Smith et al., filed 2/24/98, entitled "Palladium-Containing Particles, Method and Apparatus of Manufacture, Palladium-Containing Devices Made Therefrom", and including claims as allowed. (Attorney Docket 41890-00030)

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